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FIP Juniors Asian Padel Championships, day 3: first stage wraps up, semifinals on Friday

The **UAE** will take on Iran, while **Japan** will face **Lebanon** on the other side of the draw. These are the "Fantastic 4" of the **FIP Juniors Asian Padel Championships** in **Bahrain**, which finished the first stage on Thursday. In Group A, the UAE beat the hosts 2-1, securing their second win, while Japan, though resting, already had enough points to advance. In Group B, Iran made a comeback to beat Kuwait 2-1, and Lebanon, despite losing 1-2 to Saudi Arabia, managed to qualify.

The four teams will be back on court Friday for the semifinals, starting at 4.30 PM local time. Also on Friday, **Saudi Arabia** and **Bahrain** will compete for a spot in the match for fifth place, while **Kuwait** has already earned a bye to fight for a top-5 finish.

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